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**THE BALL OPENS**  
The campaign for the \$40,000 bond issue to finish the new court house has begun and, no doubt, all of the county papers will contain forceful arguments why the people should vote "yes." The people should know that these articles are paid for by the supporters of the bond issue.  
The Kicker is always fair to both sides of any question and its columns are as free to one as to the other. Hence, if the opposition wants space it can get it at the same terms—five cents per line. Count six words to the line and remit with cash copy. All paid articles must be signed, or else marked "advertisement" to comply with the postal law.

**THE SUBS.**  
We are not doing so well but that we could do better. Sam Murphy of Chillicothe, writes: "I think you have the best paper in the state and am much interested in the fight you are putting up against misrule in old Scott, as it was for many years my home."  
Joe Becker of Gordonville, says, "I would rather read the Kicker than all the other papers I take."  
W. F. Koch, Miller City, Ill., writes, "Send me the Kicker—the paper that tells the truth to the workers."  
Otto Davenport, Oran, writes: "Have been taking the Kicker for a year and think it should be in the home of every worker."  
Martin Menz, DeKay, says "Send me the Kicker. Am always glad when Friday comes to get the paper."

Among the hustlers E. C. Bowman, of Oran, occupies the top seat with 4. Sol Diebold of New Hamburg, Lum Jones of Gordonville, and P. E. Daugherty of Farmington in with two each.  
Oran—Joe Morie, Aug. Gosche, Phillip Strubler, Dr. Winters, W. H. Beed, Frank Heisser, J. G. Drury, Chas. E. Moore, Wm. Howdell.  
Morley—O. L. Gregory, E. A. Carter.  
Farmington—R. H. Mullhaux, John Wilhelm.  
Chaffee—Phillip Harness, E. D. Preston.  
Commerce—August Ledure, Joseph Hahn.  
Randles—Peter Bollinger, Frank Mier.  
Benton—A. H. Schoen, John L. Bles.  
New Hamburg—Wm. Urhahn.  
Illmo—Vince Duvall, R. N. Tate.  
Anacell—John Schlegel.  
Charleston—D. J. Bonfield.  
Bloomfield—R. J. Cate.  
Frank Kenkel, Advance; Sam Murphy, Chillicothe; A. B. Greer, St. Louis; Frank McBride, Edna, Kans.; Grover Slinkard, Weiner, Ark.

**COURT HOUSE BOND ISSUE.**  
The issue of Bonds by a Vote of the People to Complete the new Court House March 25, 1913.

The new court house of Scott county is two-thirds completed. All the work on the building thus far done is of the very best type. It has so far been done without the increase in the rate of taxation one solitary cent. The county is getting the best public building for the least money ever erected in the State of Missouri. It is water-proof, rot-proof, fire-proof and will be burglar proof when completed. You can build a fire on any of the floors, in the galleries or on the roof with impunity and without damage to the building, because the entire building is constructed out of non-inflammable material. There are but few, if any, such indestructible court houses in Missouri. It will require but \$40,000—forty-thousand dollars to complete this splendid edifice. On the 25th day of March following the voters of this county will have the opportunity of deciding whether or not the building shall be completed and made ready for occupancy. To pay this \$40,000 loan in 20 years, as proposed, will require but a slight increase in the tax rate. The total assessed value of all property in the county in round numbers, is \$7,500,000.00, a levy of 5 cents on the \$100.00 of this total will provide \$3,750.00 annually which will be sufficient to pay off the yearly installments of the debt as it falls due and all interest thereon. If the taxable wealth of the county should increase in the course of 20 years, the tax rate would be correspondingly less, and probably in ten years time would not exceed 3 cents on the \$100.00 valuation. Any voter can by taking a pencil figure out in a few moments how little this public debt would cost him in the way of increased taxes. For example the taxpayer who is assessed with \$1,000.00 worth of property will pay 50 cents; the one whose assessment is \$100.00 will pay 5 cents, and the one whose assessment is \$50.00, 2 1/2 cents and a half cents per year more than he paid the last year. Besides the rail-ways, bridges, banks, and other corporations of the county will pay in taxes fully one-third of the needed taxes to pay for the loan. Vote YES—Advertisement.

Rev. Elmer Peal, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Peal of Blodgett, has been appointed by Bishop Denny to take charge of the Mount Auburn M. E. church, St. Louis.

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**NOTICE TO TEACHERS**  
The Scott county teachers examination will be held in Benton, March 7 and 8, 1913, in the court house beginning at 8:30.  
Applicants for first and second grade certificates must have done one year high school work. This does not apply to old teachers. All applicants to be on hand first day, as the order of subjects have not been learned, and in no case will the first days subjects be given second day. Consult the law in regard to renewals before you send them in. Yours truly, CHAS. HARRIS, Co. Supt.

**HERE AND YONDER**  
Those in authority claim that they have built the new court house so far without raising the TAX RATE. But they don't tell you that the tax rate is limited by the state constitution. Will they say they have not raised the assessed value of the county? And if they could honestly set aside \$59,000 last year to apply to the building of a court house, without increasing taxes, what became of that money in former years? Try to get some "for revenue only" Democrat to explain that.

George Walter of Anacell was here Friday to have bills printed for his horse and Jack. Stockmen will find the Kicker thoroughly equipped for such work.  
J. C. Wilson of Pigot, Ark., and Miss Beatrice Howell, of Lone Rock, were Kicker callers Saturday.  
D. J. Bonfield will move from near Blodgett to Charleston. He was here Friday.  
T. E. Mercer, of near Oran, was here Monday and reports the outlook for wheat good.  
Mathias Schott who, as a boy, lived at Kelso, died near Cape last week aged 69 years.  
In Madison county the county court cut the bills of the ex-officio highway engineer \$500.  
Berklow Williams of Morley was here Monday.

**BUSINESS LOCALS**  
The bonds for \$40,000 at 5 per cent, payable in 20 annual payments but will increase your tax 5 cents on the one hundred dollars valuation. You will more than get your money's worth, the first time you visit the new court house and make use of its comforts and necessities, provided for the public, when the building is finished. Don't forget it, but go to the polls on the 25th of March and vote this ticket. "Appropriation of \$40,000.00 for building court house for Scott county Missouri—YES."—Adv.  
For Sale.—A team of 3-year-old black mare mules well matched. Burklow Williams, Morley, Mo. R. 2.  
For Sale.—Plymouth Rock chickens. Parties wanting them must apply at once. Mrs. Mollie Miller, Morley, Mo.

For Sale.—Four Incubators. For particulars call or write John L. Murphy, Oran, Mo. Route 1. If you want lands for investment or for a home, see or write W. E. Ward, Gregg building, Jonesboro, Ark. Mr. Ward lived in Commerce for 30 years. 51-1.  
The love of his native country should inspire every voter who was born in Scott county to lend his every effort toward the completion of the noble structure that marks the capitol of the county of his birth. Don't forget to vote "YES" on March 25th.—Adv.

**FROM CROOKED CREEK**  
Quite a crowd gathered at the home of John Sanders Saturday and spent a pleasant evening.  
There will be a box supper at Macedonia church Saturday night Feb. 22, for the benefit of the church.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller of near Illmo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Miller last week.  
Mrs. Fred Scherer of St. Louis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Sanders.  
Mrs. Armina Fisher of St. Louis is visiting the family of Joe Sanders.  
Joe Hudnall of Diehlstadt visited C. M. Weaver and family last week.

There will be preaching at Macedonia church Sunday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mattingly of Illmo visited here Saturday.  
The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sanders has pneumonia.  
John Taylor of West Plains is visiting relatives here.  
Robert Taylor visited relatives at Morley last week.  
Miss Martha Allen of Illinois is visiting friends here.  
Mrs. Totty returned home from Cape Sunday.

**FROM PLEASANT HILL**  
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Pfefferkorn and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Pfefferkorn and their families visited the family of Chas. Blattel Saturday.  
Mrs. Lena Leist visited her daughter, Mrs. Annie House, at Farmington Sunday.  
August Ledure was at Kelso Friday and Phil Pfefferkorn was there Monday.  
Nick Ledure will soon have a new sewing machine in the family. Miss Mary Ledure stepped on a nail and has a very sore foot.

**FROM HILLDALE**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henderson spent Sunday with the family of Dick Williams. Little Sidney Williams has pneumonia.  
The Misses Maggie Knuckles and Eva Bryant of Morley visited Miss Virgie Gibson Sunday.  
Miss Hattie Britt, who has been visiting at Kentucky and at Croton, returned Sunday.  
Luther Gibson and family spent Sunday with the family of Mrs. Harvey Robertson.  
Ernest and Anthony Club spent Sunday with the A. M. Rockett family.

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**FROM NEW HAMBURG**  
A crowd gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Glaus Saturday night to help George celebrate his 80th birthday anniversary. All present had a good time and went away wishing George's birthday came oftener.  
Otto Diebold and sister, Miss Ollie, Neva Cris and Miss Mary Herring, who visited at Cora, Jacob and Chester Ill., last week returned Sunday.  
A child was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Essner last week, and baptized Saturday Leo Legrand and sister, Miss Clara, of Benton, stood sponsors.

Frank Enderle and family of near Oran, passed through here Sunday going to Kelso to visit Frank's father, Mike Enderle, who is very sick.  
Leona Matilda was the name given to the last daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goetz on the 9th. All parties doing well—including papa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bischof of Caney passed thru here Saturday on their way to Kelso to visit Andrew Heisser's family and other friends.  
Mrs. P. Kilhauer and daughter, Miss Paula, of Stumptown, and Joe Messmer of Kelso, attended church here Sunday.  
Vick Bollinger and wife and babies spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hahn, of Schererville.  
George Heuring and sister, Miss Bertha, and Edw. Schwartz and sister, Miss Amanda, were Kelso visitors Sunday.

August Glaus and family and Mrs. Leo Bucher Sunday with the family of Albert Goetz.  
After spending a week at Chaffee Mrs. Rosina Hahn returned to her home here Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoefler of Stumptown visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goetz.  
Fred Brucker and Miss Louise Weidfield of Kelso attended church here Sunday.  
Theodore Diebold and family are back from St. Louis to stay for the summer.  
Father Moenig, W. W. Herring and Nova Criss went to Allenville Tuesday.

Louis Hahn left for Illinois last week, where he intends to become a machinist.  
Al Messmer and family of Kelso visited at Wendoline Kilhauer's Sunday.  
Otto Miller and somebody's sister of Chaffee were here Sunday.  
Communion instructions began Monday with a good attendance.  
Lawrence Schaefer moved on the Jacob Jehin farm last week.  
Gus Halter and Leo Schlitt of Randles were here Sunday.  
Ask Nova Cris, and Otto Diebold if they got a valentine.  
Joe Heuring and Theon Grojean were at Chaffee Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pfefferkorn were at Kelso Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Stehr were at Benton Sunday.

Gregor and Cletis Grojean were in Oran Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Westrich were at Chaffee Monday.  
Mrs. Theon Grojean is very sick with pneumonia.  
Lawrence Westrich is back from St. Louis.  
Mrs. Louis Bucher is sick.  
Put the Kicker in every workers

Young man are you contemplating matrimony with some sweet girl in the near future? Do you think you would be treating her right to take her to the musty old recorder's office to get the marriage license? Put the marriage off a few months, vote "yes" on March 25 at the special election for an appropriation to finish the splendid new court house, then bring your bride with you to the beautiful new rooms of the Recorder for your license and your marriage will be doubly happy. Don't forget to vote "yes."—Adv.

**FROM RANGLES**  
Leo Schlitt, wife and baby and August Halter spent Saturday and Sunday with the family of Charles Halter near New Hamburg.  
Wm. Thomas lost a \$250 mule last week. With other stock the mule was in a field and ran into a ditch and was so badly hurt that he had to be killed.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thoman and Mrs. Frank Thomas and daughter, Miss Ruby, spent Sunday at August Halter's.  
Sam Gentry and family spent Sunday with his brother near DeRay, whose wife was severely burned recently.  
Joe Morrie and Lawrence Hahn of New Hamburg parish, were here last week.  
L. O. Groselose loaded a car of stock and Mr. Sells shipped a car of lumber.  
The railroad company is throwing up a dump here for a switch nearly two miles long.  
Wm. Randles, one of the oldest settlers here, died Saturday night of spinal meningitis.  
Jesse Becklund says it's hard luck and if he don't find a girl soon, he will advertise for one.

Joe Machino, Geo. Overton and Wm. Slover loaded several cars of logs last week.  
The Misses Annie Halter and Annie Schlosser were at Chaffee last week.  
Frank Gray and Charley Ervin, of Perkins, were here Saturday.  
T. J. Beardslee has bought more land west of his farm.  
Robt. Patterson and family visited at Perkins Sunday.  
Emil Bollinger spent part of last week at Allenville.  
The Oran horse traders were here last week.  
Harry Morley is tending bar for E. M. Jones.

The laborers do everything and get nothing, the rich do nothing and get everything.

**FROM KELS0.**  
Among those who attended our church Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. John Bischof, of Bleda; Ed. Schwartz and sister, Miss Mandy, and George Heuring and sister, Mrs. Mary, of New Hamburg; Eugene Essner and sister, Miss Christine, of Ella, and Miss Clara Diebold, of Benton, and Frank Halter.

Mrs. Joe Weiler and little daughter Bertha spent Friday evening with the family of John Enderle. Anton Heisser is sick.  
Isaac Rose and sons, Ernest, Dennis and Thomas, and Charley Fullenwider, were at Farmington on Sunday last.  
Fred Unnerstall and sister, Miss Lulu, spent Sunday with their Uncle, Wm. Unnerstall and family.

Ernest and Dennis Rose sawed wood for L. Dannenmueller a few days last week.  
Father Mueselpein visited Uncle Mike Enderle Thursday, who is very sick.  
Little Valera Dannenmueller is very sick with typhoid fever.  
Miss Alvina Lux is staying with her sister, Mrs. George Gueck.  
Miss Emma Enderle has returned to Chaffee for a short stay.  
Miss Annie Essma is staying at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leible's.  
Phillip Seyer of Advance spent a few days here last week.

Father Mueselpein held mass at Illmo Sunday morning.  
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Joseph Scherer's hogs are dying from cholera.  
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**FROM F0RNFELT**  
Wednesday of last week Pearl Daugherty received a telegram announcing the death of Mrs. Della James at Los Angeles, California. Mrs. James was well known to the older citizens of the county.  
Wm. Wray of Cape county, died Saturday. Mr. Wray formerly lived near Manning's landing and was well known to the older settlers of this end of the county.

Wednesday of last week Wm. Enderle and Miss Ethel Mills were quietly married at Benton. They will make their home here.  
Prof. Kinkead and Waldo Johnson have opened up a real estate office in the Hutton drug store building.  
Ed. Schlegel of Cape Girardeau, died Wednesday and was buried in the Lutheran cemetery at Illmo.

Mr. and Mrs. Beggs and son Earl of St. Louis are visiting the family of Earl Stock.  
J. D. Rose and family left Tuesday for an extended stay in the state of Florida.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Adams are visiting the latter's parents at Allenville.  
Jim Allen of Jackson was here Saturday visiting his son, Willard. Mrs. John Martin is visiting at Charleston.

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**FROM CHAFFEE.**  
Miss Ethel Stone visited home folks Saturday night, accompanied by Arthur and Miss Bessie Heed and Isaac Eilers of Chaffee. Our city election is beginning to warm up. Perhaps we will elect the customary "reform" administration by electing "good" men.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Turner visited the family of Jeff Painter at old Stumptown Sunday.  
Albert Sanders was out driving, but complains that girls are very scarce this year.

Miss Iona Blocker was the guest of Miss Hattie Slinkard Sunday.  
Monroe Painter and Bob Morris visited west of Oran Sunday.  
John Lancaster is a good wood-chopper and can supply you.  
J. W. Heed and Joe A. Legrand were at the Cape Girardeau, visited at W. A. Miller's last week.  
John Klipfel was in the community Thursday.

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**LO, THE POOR FARMER.**  
While crossing a city street a farmer was knocked down by an automobile. Before he could get out of the way he was knocked down by a motorcycle which came rushing along behind.  
A friend on the sidewalk yelled to him: "Why didn't you get out of the way?"  
"How in the dickens did I know it had a coil?" was the angry response.

**PUBLIC SALE!**  
Monday, February 24, and in case of rain, then on Tuesday, Feb. 25, at my farm 2 1/2 miles west of Kelso and 5 miles north of New Hamburg, on Sa's Creek, I will sell two work mules, two mares, a yearling mare colt, a family horse, eight fattening hogs two sows with pigs, a Poland-China male, five cows, a calf, four heifers, about 500 bushels of corn, 400 bushels of timothy hay, farm wagon, spring wagon, open buggy, Milwaukee binder, Deering mowing, disc wheat drill, a wheat fan, corn sheller, two section harrows, a 3-horse plow, two 2-horse plows, hay frame and many other articles.  
Terms—\$5 and under, cash; over \$5 a credit of seven months will be given, purchaser giving 7 per cent note with approved security. No interest charged if paid at maturity. P. J. HAHN.

**FROM MORLEY**  
Miss Ruth Harris entertained a number of friends Friday evening. Present were the Misses Eva Bissel, Edith Daugherty, Lila Daugherty, Stella Bray, Flossie Lane, Bessie Beggs, Sallie Swin, Amanda McDonough, Hallie Watson, Eva Lee, Gladys Lee, Luta Bryeane. Refreshments were served and all had a nice time.

The Misses Eva and Gladys Lee visited relatives at Chaffee Saturday and Sunday.  
Misses Amanda McDonough and Sallie Swin visited at Sikeston on last Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harris Bissel, of Bugg Ridge were Morley visitors Sunday.  
Rev. Charlie Harris of Pt. Pleasant was here last week.  
Jake Craft of Benton was here Sunday.

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**FROM CHANEY**  
The Misses Bess Johnson and Gladys Osband of Sikeston spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Irlie Hawkins.  
J. C. Carroll, who has been visiting his daughter has returned to his home in Arkansas.  
Joe Hawkins of Commerce spent Saturday here with his sister, Miss Irlie.

Abe White is doing house repairing. He fell and sprained an ankle.  
Miss Annie Carroll is visiting her brother, Frank Carroll.  
All had a fine time at our pie supper. Proceeds \$11.

Mrs. Della James, formerly of Kelso township and the founder of Anacell, died in Los Angeles, Cal. last week.

March 25th will decide whether or not the valuable county records shall be stored in a fire-proof new court house where they can be permanently preserved. There will be two ballots—one \$40,000 "Yes," and one \$40,000 "No." Vote the ballot with the "YES."—Advertisement.

**TRUSTEE'S SALE.**  
Whereas Cynthia J. Robertson and Parline Thompson, by their certain deed of trust dated March 22, 1911, duly acknowledged and recorded in the recorder's office of Scott county, Mo., in book 24, at page 586, conveyed to A. Q. Miller as trustee the following described real estate, situated, lying and being in the county of Scott, State of Missouri, to-wit: All of lot 3, in block 15, in the original village of Blodgett, Mo. Which said deed was given to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in said deed described, and whereas default has been made in the payment thereof and whereas said trustee refuses to act.

Now therefore at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in conformity with the provisions of the deed of trust, I, the undersigned sheriff will, on Saturday, MARCH 15, 1913, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the north front door of the court house, in the town of Benton, county of Scott, state of Missouri, sell the above described real estate at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said notes and the execution of this trust.

WM. ELLIS, Sheriff of Scott County, Mo.

**FROM CROWDER**  
A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Probst on Wednesday of last week, and a son to Mr. and Mrs. Charley Yokley on Sunday. The house of Canada Edwards, caught fire Monday morning, but very little damage resulted. Mrs. Mollie Boyett was called to the sick-bed of her little nephew at Vanduser.

The Valentine party given by Miss Effie Page Friday night was well attended.  
Miss Fannie Higgins, who left here last fall, has returned.  
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**NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION**  
State of Missouri, ss.  
County of Scott.  
Whereas, on Wednesday the 12th day of February, 1913, and the 9th day of the regular February, 1913 Term of the County Court of Scott County, Missouri, a petition signed by more than one hundred to-wit, by One Thousand and the qualified voters of said County who are tax-payers thereof, in praying the Court that an in-debtedness in the sum of Forty Thousand Dollars be created for the purpose of building the Court House of said County and furnishing in the proper manner the interior of the County building now on the Public Square in the Town of Benton, Missouri, to put the same in proper condition to meet the requirements of the County's Public business to be transacted therein, and provide the necessary rooms for the holding of Court and for Keeping of the records, and rooms for the various officers to conduct the County's business therein, and praying that Bonds be issued to secure said indebtedness to run for twenty (20) years, to bear Five (5) per cent interest per annum payable semi-annually, and that said debt be paid off in annual installments as nearly equal as possible, the first installment of Bonds to be paid five years after the issuing of said bonds, and that the necessary taxes be levied annually to meet the payment of the interest and principal on said bonds as the same mature, and that an election be called by this Court to be held for the purpose of authorizing the incurring of said indebtedness and the levying of the taxes to provide for the payment thereof.

And the Court having found that said petition is made by more than One Hundred, to-wit, by one thousand Voters of said County who are taxpayers thereof, that the representations in said petition are true, the prayer of said petition was in all things granted by the said Court and the local Voters of Scott County, Missouri, are hereby notified that on Tuesday the 25th day of March, 1913, an election will be held at all the voting precincts in said county for the purpose of determining whether or not an indebtedness in the sum of FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS shall be created for the building purposes aforesaid, and that bonds be issued to secure said indebtedness to run for Twenty (20) years to bear Five (5) per cent interest per annum, payable semi-annually, and that said Bonds be paid off in annual installments as nearly equal as possible, the first installment of said debt to be paid off five years after issuing the same, and that the necessary taxes be levied annually to pay the interest and principal of said Bonds as the same mature.

Said election shall be held and conducted in the same manner, and the returns thereof made to the County Clerk, and the Vote counted, in all respects the same as in elections for State and County officers, as far as the Law in relation thereto are applicable.

I, James McPheeters, Clerk of the County Court within and for the County of Scott in the State of Missouri, hereby certify that the above and foregoing Notice of Election was duly ordered to be made and given by order of Record duly entered at the February Term, 1913 on the 12th day of said month, of the County Court of said County of Scott and during the sitting of said Court.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand as County Clerk aforesaid and hereto affixed the seal of the said Court, DONE at office in Benton, Scott County, Missouri, this 14th day of February, 1913.

(Seal) JAMES MCPHEETERS, Clerk County Court, Scott County Missouri.

**TRUSTEE'S SALE.**  
Whereas W. P. Page and Emma C. Page, his wife, by their certain deed of trust, dated November 29, 1909, duly acknowledged and recorded in the recorder's office of Scott county, Mo., in book 24, at page 47, conveyed to D. H. Harper as trustee, the following described real estate, situated, lying and being in the county of Scott, State of Missouri, to-wit: All of lots No. 25 and 26, in block 9, in the City of Chaffee, Mo. Which said deed was given to secure the payment of certain promissory notes in said deed described, and whereas default has been made in the payment thereof now, therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, and in conformity with the provisions of the deed of trust, I, the undersigned trustee will, on Saturday, MARCH 8, 1913, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the north front door of the court house, in the town of Benton, county of Scott, state of Missouri, sell the above described real estate at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said notes and the execution of this trust.

D. H. HARPER, Trustee.

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